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BEFORE
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE D.BISWAS, CHIEF JUSTICE (ACTING)
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE B.D.AGARWAL

Heard Mr OP Bhati, learned counsel for the petitioner and Mr. A.K. Bhuyan, learned Standing Counsel for the Transport Department. Also heard Mrs. B Goyal, learned State counsel.

We have also perused the contents of the petition.

The petitioner Association prays for a direction to prevent plying of trucks and public vehicles carrying more than the prescribed limit of load, particularly vehicles carrying coal from Meghalaya to Jogighopa. The petitioner has not been able to convince the Court as to how they are affected by the plying of vehicles with excess load of coal.

We, therefore, dispose of this petition calling upon the concerned District Magistrates to ensure implementation of the provisions of the Motor Vehicles Act, particularly in respect of loading.

The petitioner Association is at liberty to furnish a copy of this order to all the concerned District Magistrates.